



County of Riverside  
**DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH**

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STEVE VAN STOCKUM, DIRECTOR

**CITATION FOR NONCOMPLIANCE – WATER SYSTEM NO. 3301247  
NO. 05\_63\_17C\_009**

Re: Elms Mobile Home Park  
System No. 3301247

Date: August 1, 2017

To: Mo Usman  
1927 Harbor Blvd, Ste #A  
Costa Mesa, CA 92627

Section 116650, Article 9, Chapter 4, Part 12, Division 104 of the California Health and Safety Code (H&S Code), authorizes the issuance of a citation for failure to comply with the requirements of the California Safe Drinking Water Act, or any regulation, standard, permit order issued there under.

**VIOLATION**

The Department of Environmental Health (Department), hereby issues a citation to Elms Mobile Home Park for the following violations:

Title 22 of the California Code of Regulations (CCR), Section 64423 (a) (1). Specifically, Elms Mobile Home Park failed to collect bacteriological samples for the months of March 2017, April 2017 and June 2017. As per Table 64423-A, the minimum number of samples for community water systems serving 15 to 400 service connections is 1 per month.

**CHRONOLOGY OF EVENTS**

This is a community water system serving a mobile home park with 47 spaces and approximately 100 residents. The source for this system is an 8 in. diameter, 465 ft. deep well with a submersible pump. There is a 3 hp booster pump between the gravity storage tank and the hydro pneumatic tanks. Water pumps from the well to a 5000 gallon galvanized gravity storage tank. The booster pump sends water to 2 small bladder type hydro pneumatic tanks then out to the distribution system.

March 2017 - Elms Mobile Home Park failed to sample the distribution system for bacteriological analysis.

April 2017 - Elms Mobile Home Park failed to sample the distribution system for bacteriological analysis.

May 2017 – Elms Mobile Home Park distribution system and well was sampled for bacteriological analysis. Both results were absent for total coliform bacteria.

June 2017 - Elms Mobile Home Park failed to sample the distribution system for bacteriological analysis.

July 2017 – Elms Mobile Home Park distribution system and well was sampled for bacteriological analysis. Both results were absent for total coliform bacteria.

## **DIRECTIVES**

The distribution system must be sampled monthly for bacteriological analysis by your certified water operator. Follow your Bacteriological Sample Siting Plan.

This is considered a monitoring and reporting (M&R) violation and requires public notification utilizing the Tier 2 notification method, which is notification to the consumers. All consumers served by this water system must be notified of this violation, as required in Section 64463.4. Attached is a notification form containing the language that is required in Section 64465. The notice must be delivered to your water consumers by August 31, 2017. Submit a Proof of Notification to this Department once the notice has been delivered to your water consumers.

Include the violation in your 2016 Consumer Confidence Report (CCR).

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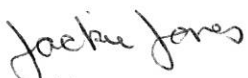
## **FURTHER ENFORCEMENT ACTION**

Failure to comply with this notice and/or failure to comply with Title 22 of the California Code of Regulations may result in an administrative office hearing and assessment of administrative penalties. This Department does not waive any further enforcement action by issuance of this citation.

Any person who is aggrieved by a citation issued by the Riverside County Department of Environmental Health may file a petition with the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) for reconsideration of the citation. Petitions must be received by the State Water Board within 30 calendar days of the issuance of the citation. The date of issuance is the date when the Riverside County Department of Environmental Health mails or serves a copy of the citation, whichever occurs first. If the 30th day falls on a Saturday, Sunday, or state holiday, the petition is due the following business day. Petitions must be received by 5:00 p.m. Information regarding filing petitions may be found at:

[http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/drinking\\_water/programs/petitions/index.shtml](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/drinking_water/programs/petitions/index.shtml)

If you have any questions, please contact me at (760) 863-7570.



Jackie Jones, REHS  
Environmental Health Specialist

Attachments:

Tier 2 Notice

Proof of Notification

Certified Mail: 7007 3020 0001 6550 3573

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER

Este informe contiene información muy importante sobre su agua potable.

Tradúzcalo o hable con alguien que lo entienda bien.

### Monitoring Requirements Not Met for Elms Mobile Home Park

Our water system failed to monitor as required for drinking water standards during the past year and, therefore, was in violation of the regulations. Even though this failure was not an emergency, as our customers, you have a right to know what you should do, what happened, and what we did to correct this situation.

*We are required to monitor your drinking water for specific contaminants on a regular basis. Results of regular monitoring are an indicator of whether or not our drinking water meets health standards. During March 2017, April 2017 and June 2017, we did not test for bacteria and therefore, cannot be sure of the quality of our drinking water during that time.*

#### What should I do?

- There is nothing you need to do at this time.
- The table below lists the contaminant(s) we did not properly test for during the last year, how many samples we are required to take and how often, how many samples we took, when samples should have been taken, and the date on which follow-up samples were (or will be) taken.

<i>Contaminant</i>	<i>Required Sampling Frequency</i>	<i>Number of Samples Taken</i>	<i>When All Samples Should Have Been Taken</i>	<i>When Samples Were or Will Be Taken</i>
Bacteria	One per month	0	March 2017, April 2017 and June 2017	A passing bacteria sample was taken in May 2017 and July 2017

- If you have health issues concerning the consumption of this water, you may wish to consult your doctor.

## What happened? What is being done?

- We have since taken the required samples, as described in the last column of the table above. The samples showed we are meeting drinking water standards.

For more information, please contact Chad Finch at (760) 834-5513.

*Please share this information with all the other people who drink this water, especially those who may not have received this notice directly (for example, people in apartments, nursing homes, schools, and businesses). You can do this by posting this public notice in a public place or distributing copies by hand or mail.*

## Secondary Notification Requirements

Upon receipt of notification from a person operating a public water system, the following notification must be given within 10 days [Health and Safety Code Section 116450(g)]:

- **SCHOOLS:** Must notify school employees, students, and parents (if the students are minors).
- **RESIDENTIAL RENTAL PROPERTY OWNERS OR MANAGERS** (including nursing homes and care facilities): Must notify tenants.
- **BUSINESS PROPERTY OWNERS, MANAGERS, OR OPERATORS:** Must notify employees of businesses located on the property.

This notice is being sent to you by Elms Mobile Home Park.

State Water System ID#: 3301247. Date distributed: \_\_\_\_\_.

# **PROOF OF NOTIFICATION**

NAME OF WATER SYSTEM     Elms Mobile Home Park

WATER SYSTEM NUMBER   3301247

As required by the California Health and Safety Code, this acknowledges that I have notified the users of this water system that the water supplied by Elms Mobile Home Park failed to sample for bacteria during the months of March 2017, April 2017 and June 2017 which is a violation of the California Safe Drinking Water Standards. The Tier 2 Notice was delivered to all residents of Elms Mobile Home Park.

This notification was made using the following method(s);

Verbal, to each customer/connection                      Date completed \_\_\_\_\_

Public Posting of Notice                                      Date completed \_\_\_\_\_

Mail or Hand Delivery of a Written Notice              Date completed \_\_\_\_\_

Public Newspaper or Media                                  Date completed \_\_\_\_\_

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Print Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Water System Representative